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TO AMEMBASSY SAIGON

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TAGS: BEXP,VS

SUBJECT: HOTEL DEVELOPMENT IN VIET NAM

REF: SAIGON T-5678

1. AS REQUESTED, CONSUMER GOODS AND SERVICES, BDC WILL PUBLICIZE OPPORTUNITY FOR SALE OF HOTEL EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR NEW 550 ROOM SAIGON HOTEL TO BE MANAGED BY HYATT INTERNATIONAL.

2. IN THE CONNECTION, IT WOULD BE HELPFUL TO HAVE EMBASSY COMMENTS REGARDING OVERALL POTENTIAL FOR AMERICAN PRODUCTS IN THE TOURIST INDUSTRIES AS COMMERCE HAS DEVELOPED EXTENSIVE LIST OF U.S. FIRMS IN THIS FIELD.

3. FOREIGN INVESTMENT SERVICES STAFF(FISS), BIC HAS EXCELLENT CONTACTS WITH U.S. HOTEL GROUP AND PREPARED TO INFORM THEM OF FAVORABLE OUTLOOK FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF A CHAIN OF SMALLER HOTELS IN VIETNAMESE TOURIST AREAS. REQUEST EMBASSY PROVIDE NAME AND ADDRESS OF APPROPRIATE CONTACT FOR USE IN INVESTIGATION OF THIS SITUATION. RUSH

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